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To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: S. TAMATA et al (see attached)

For:  
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TREATING  
PERFLUOROCOMPOUNDS

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 10 Sheets of Drawings
- ☒ This application is being filed without an executed Declaration.
- ☒ Priority is claimed from Japanese Application No. 2001-075241  
filed March 16, 2001 ☐ A certified copy is attached herewith.
- ☒ Copies of the disclosure documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 form and  
☒ discussed in the specification or ☒ attached Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ Specification: Abstract ☒, Description 33 pages; and 16 claim(s).
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☐ Executed Declaration.

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For:	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	16 - 20 = *	0
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Small Entity

Rate	Fee
	\$ 355
x 9	\$
x 40	\$
+ 135	\$
Total	\$

OR

Large Entity

Rate	Fee
	\$ 710
x 18	\$ 0
x 80	\$ 240
+ 270	\$ 0
Total	\$ 950

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 950.00 is enclosed for the filing fee.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to  
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